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Cofactor Peptide

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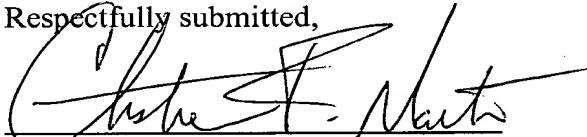
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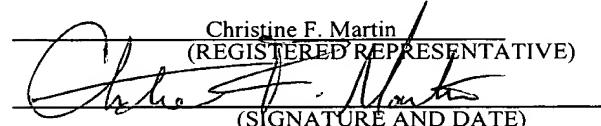
In response to the restriction requirement mailed on March 23, 2000 for the above-identified application, Applicants hereby elect Group I (claims 1-9), drawn to polypeptides without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,


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